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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Central Intelligence Agency

Via: Plans and Policies Section, ONI

Subject: Distribution of CIA Weekly Summary and distribution
of proposed CIA Weekly Review

Reference: (a) CIA Memo for CO&PS Members of 1 Dec 1949,
Subj: Distribution of CIA Weekly Summary

1. At present ONI receives for Navy 16 copies of the CIA Weekly Summary. This includes copies marked for SecNav, CNO, and other very senior people. This arrangement was arrived at on the working level with OCD in order to insure safe handling in Navy of all copies and to provide Navy addressees outside of ONI with a secure repository (ONI) to which they might return copies after using them.

2. Reference (a) indicates that in the future Navy will get a total of 6 copies - one for the Secretary, one for the Assistant Secretary for Air, two for CNO, one for DCNO Operations, and one for DNI. It is still extremely desirable that all 6 copies be mailed in one envelope every week to this office (ONI) for the reasons given in paragraph 1. above. We are not holding out on the senior people in the Naval Establishment outside of ONI.

3. With respect to the proposed CIA Weekly Review, it is desirable that ONI receive at least 16, and preferably 25, copies of this publication for a moderately liberal dissemination to those senior naval officials and fleet commanders who, in the discretion of ONI, need to receive same regularly. Attention is invited to the fact that ONI is the Intelligence Office of the Navy. We therefore desire to keep a reasonably firm control over the dissemination of intelligence within the Naval Establishment.

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